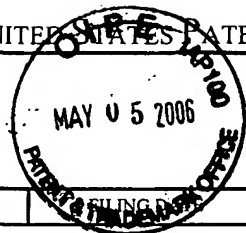




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- ☐ 1. Amendments to the specification:
  - ☐ A. Amended paragraph(s) do not include markings.
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- ☐ 2. Abstract:
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  - ☐ B. Other \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☐ 3. Amendments to the drawings:
  - ☒ A. The drawings are not properly identified in the top margin as "Replacement Sheet," "New Sheet," or "Annotated Sheet" as required by 37 CFR 1.121(d). *Forgot Fig 2-4 also & Fig 6*
  - ☐ B. The practice of submitting proposed drawing correction has been eliminated. Replacement drawings showing amended figures, without markings, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 are required.
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  - ☐ B. The listing of claims does not include the text of all pending claims (including withdrawn claims)
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# The Deluxe Hang Around Bait Holder

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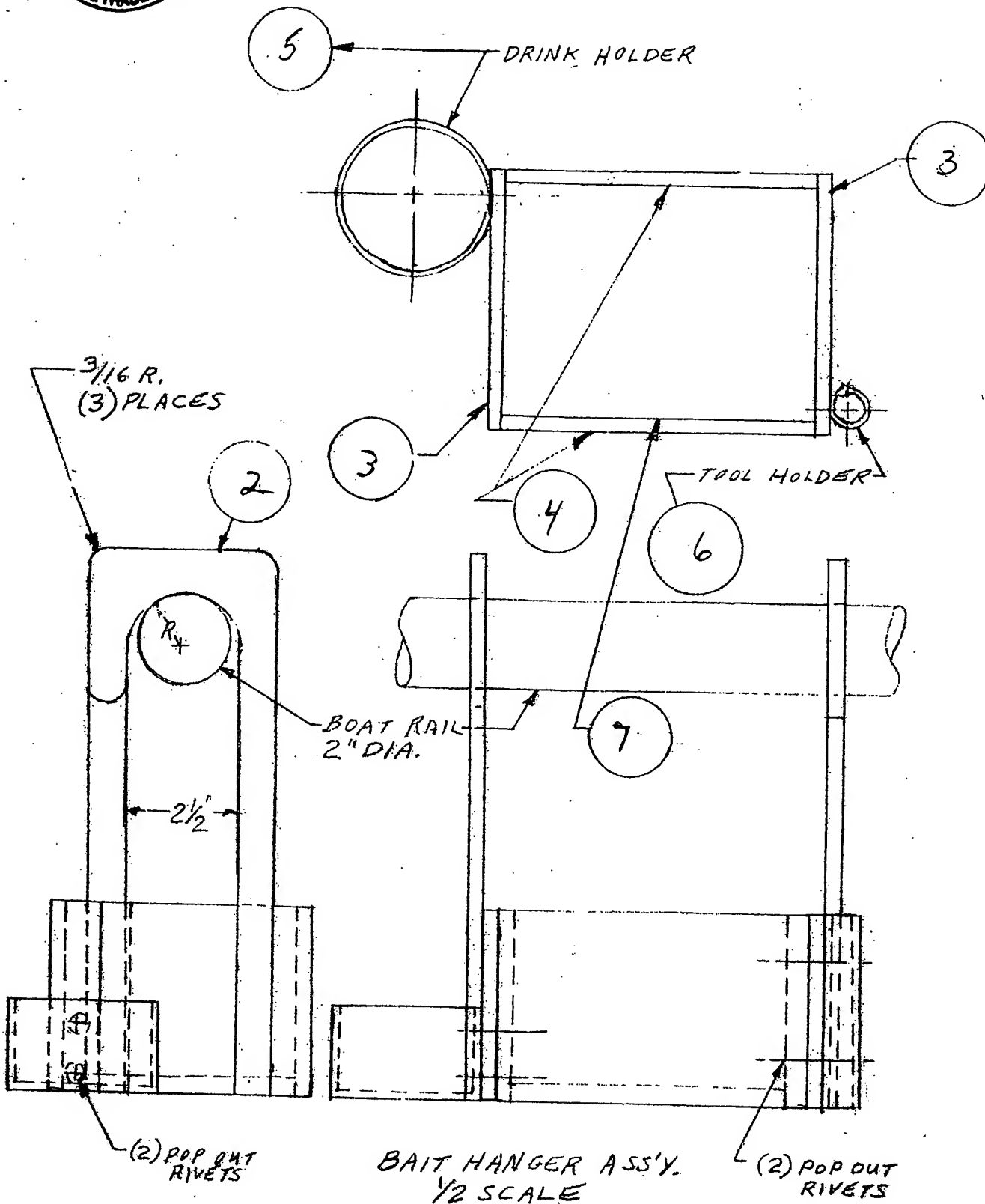


Fig. 1

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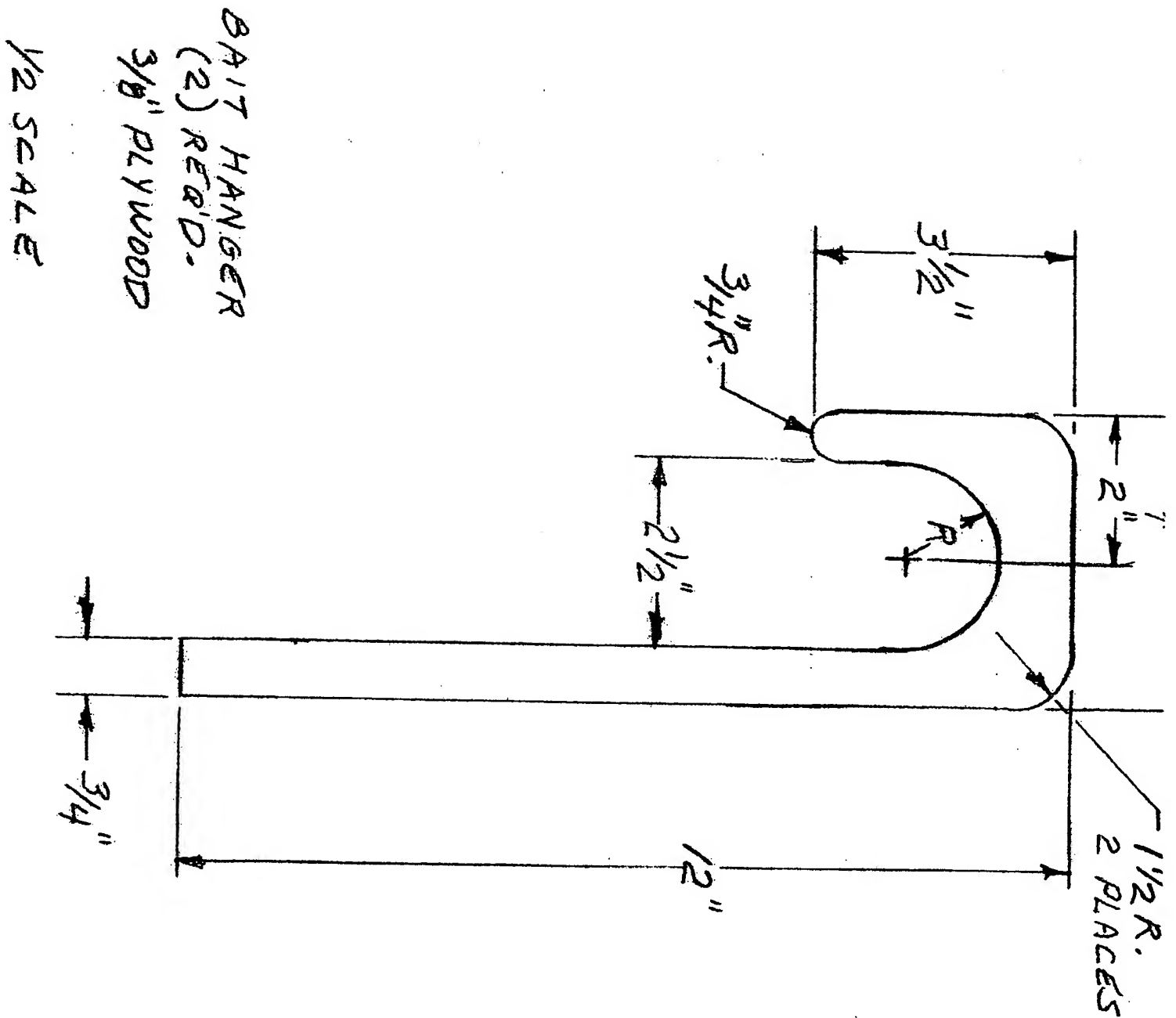


Fig. 2

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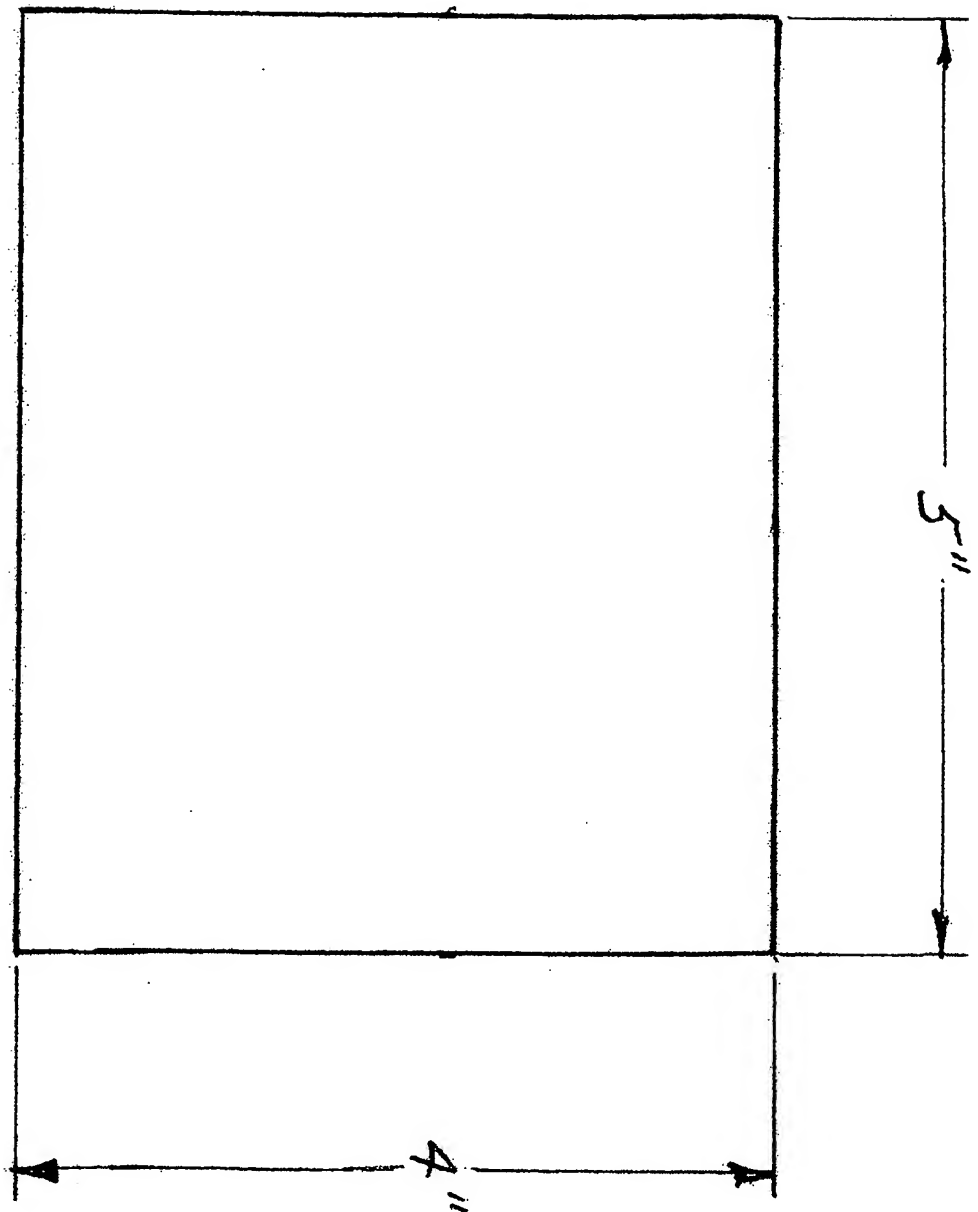


FIG. 3

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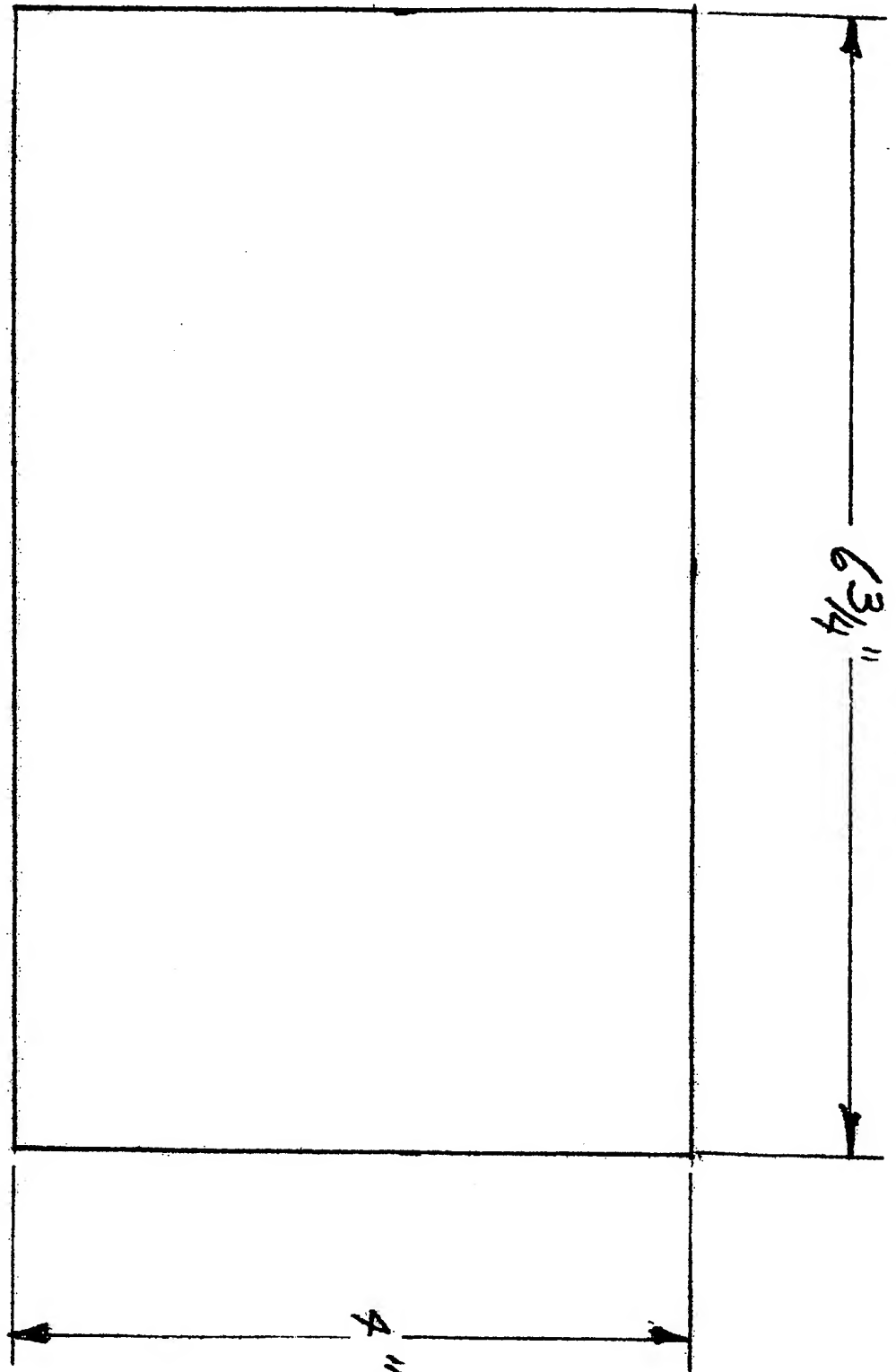


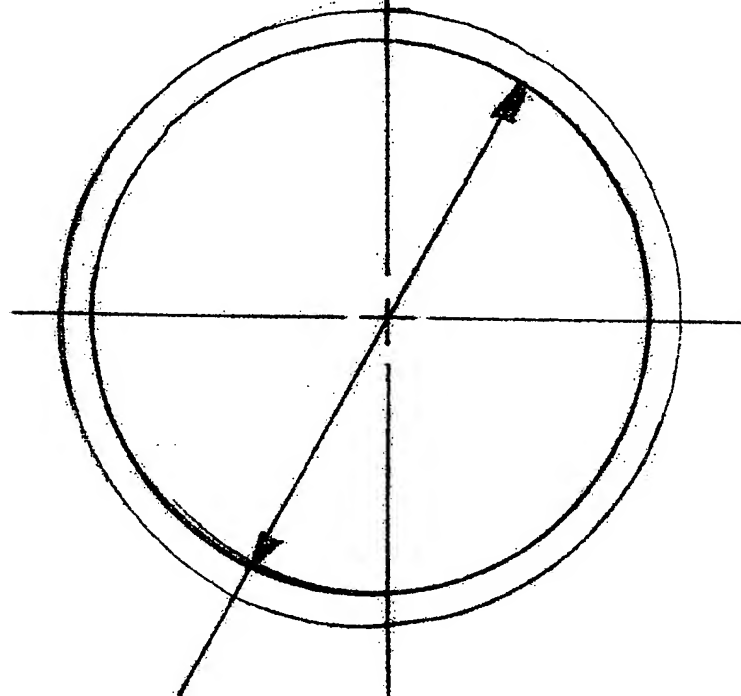
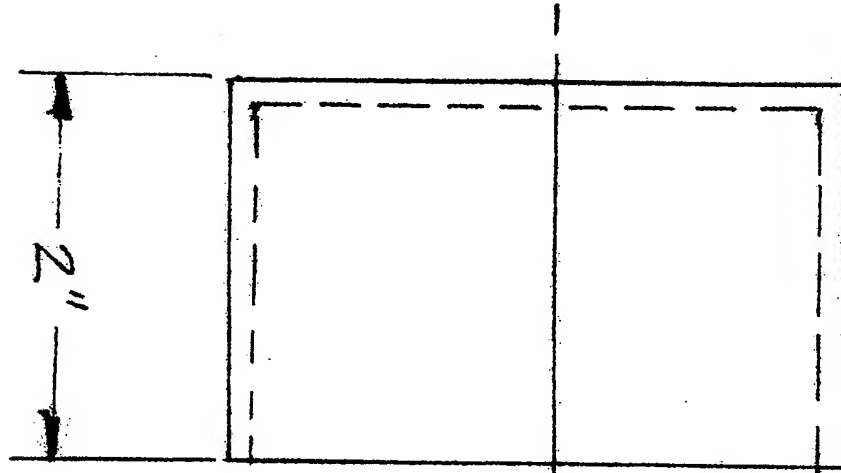
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fig. 5

BRINK HOLDER  
(1) REQ'D.  
PVC

FULL SCALE



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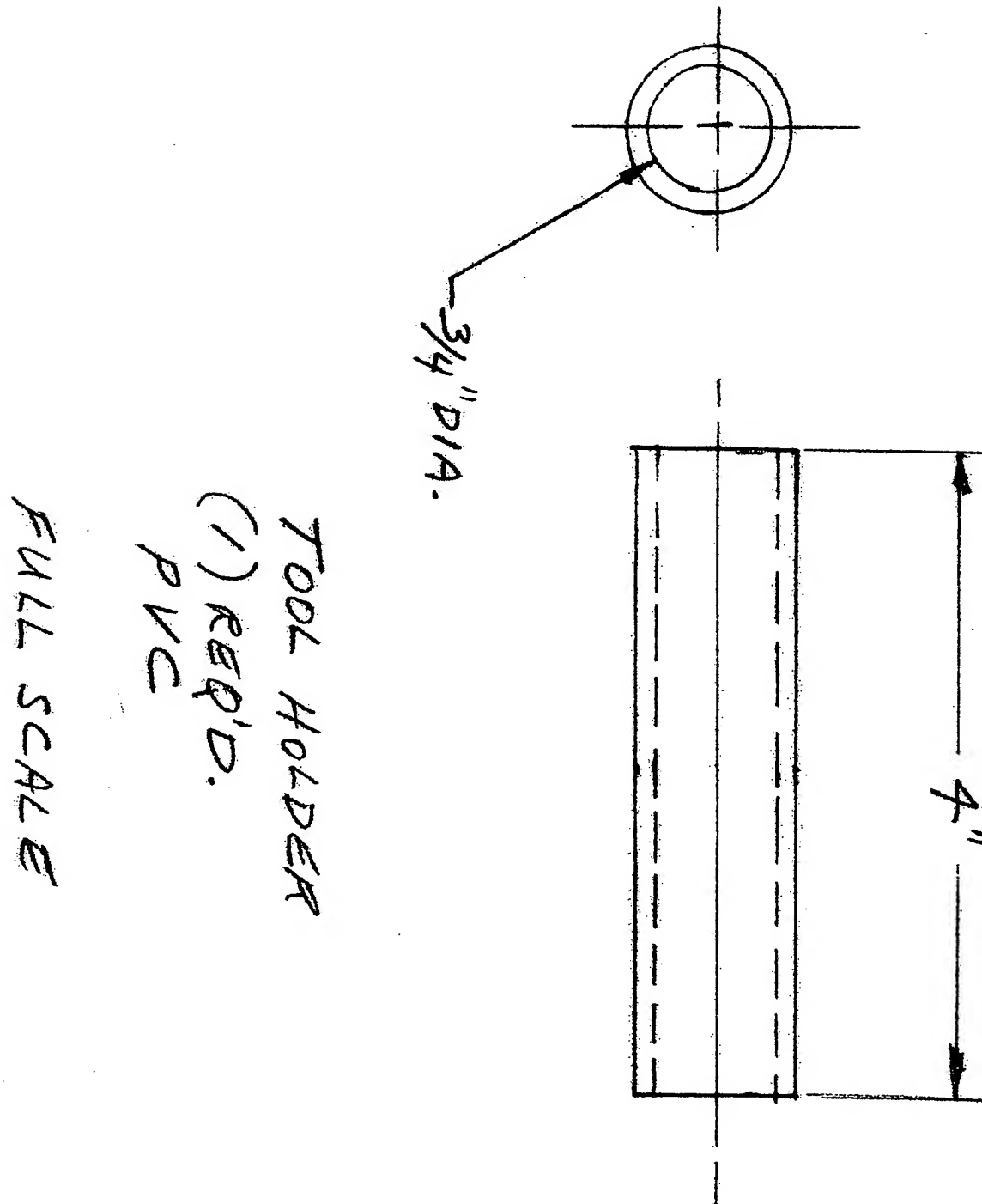


Fig. 6

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BOTTOM PLATE  
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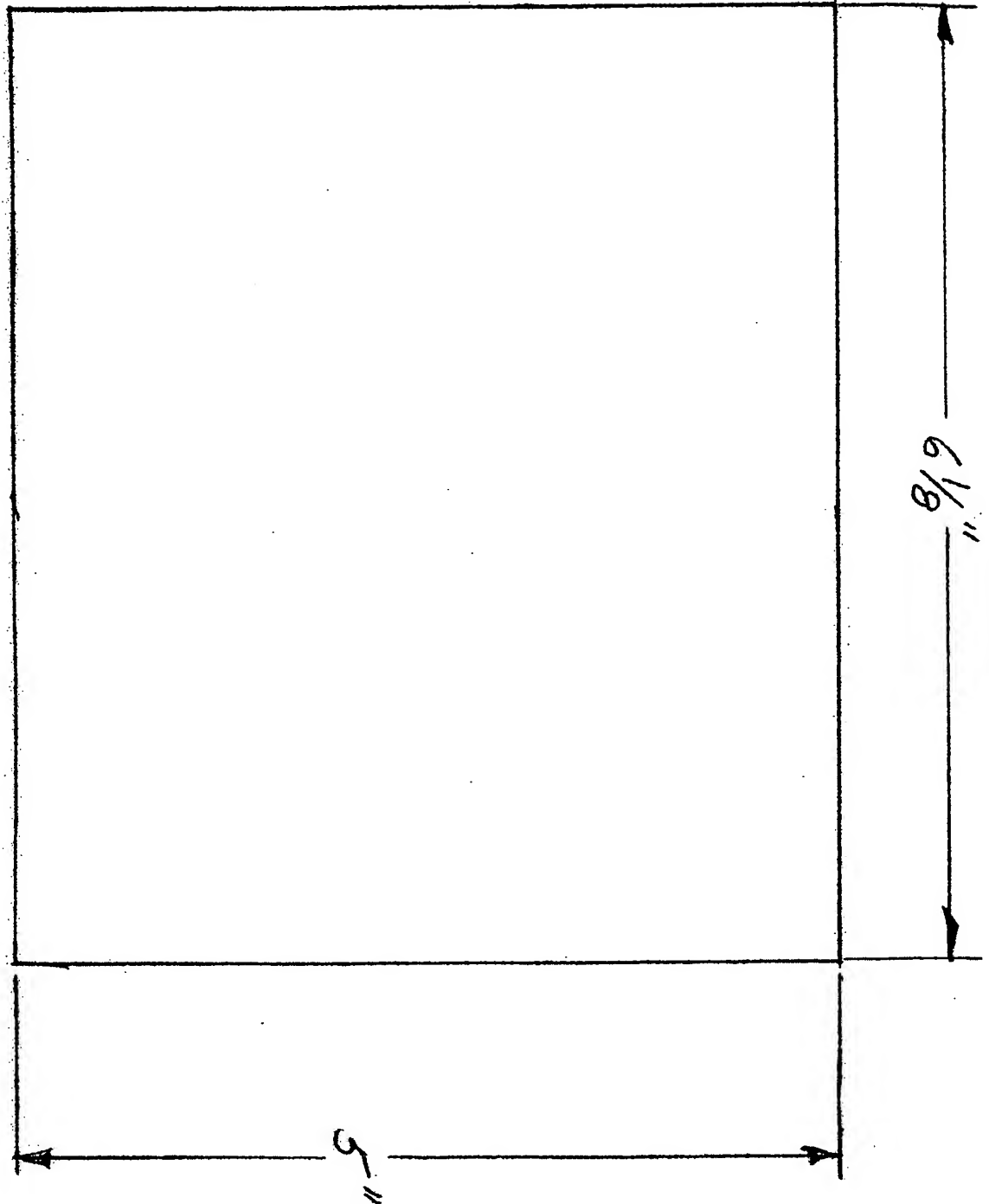


FIG. 7



### *Claims*

What we claim for "The Deluxe Hang Around Bait Holder":

1. (Currently Amended) A hanging fishing bait holder for a railing on a boat or a pier said bait holder comprising:
  - (a) two handles positioned diagonally opposite one another, consisting of a curved "J" shape in opposite directions at the top of each handle hooking transversely over the top of a railing of a boat;
  - (b) the upper end of the handles hook transversely over the top of a boat rail from an inside surface of the rail to an outside surface of the rail, upper end includes a hooked segment that arches at the top of the handles and wraps around to the bottom of the boat rail;
  - (c) hooked arched handles pivot to both the outer and inner surface of the boat rail ensuring stability;
  - (d) hooked arched handles hang from various boat/pier rail thicknesses up to 2 inches;
2. (Currently Amended) A hanging fishing bait holder as defined in claim 1, consisting of a squared container including a bottom wall, front, back and side walls, defining a principle chamber with an open top;
  - (a) fishing bait holder may be placed on a flat surface where neither a boat rail nor pier rail are available;
3. (Currently Amended) A hanging fishing bait holder as defined in claim 2, comprising a round shaped beverage holder attached to one end the bait container;

4. (Currently Amended) A hanging fishing bait holder as defined in claim 2, comprising a round tubular shaped tool holder opposite the beverage holder;
5. (Currently Amended) A hanging fishing bait holder as defined in claims 3&4, allowing interchangeability of the hanging position for placement of the cup holder and tool holder to the side of preference (left handed/right handed) for the fisherman.

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